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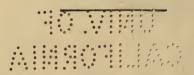
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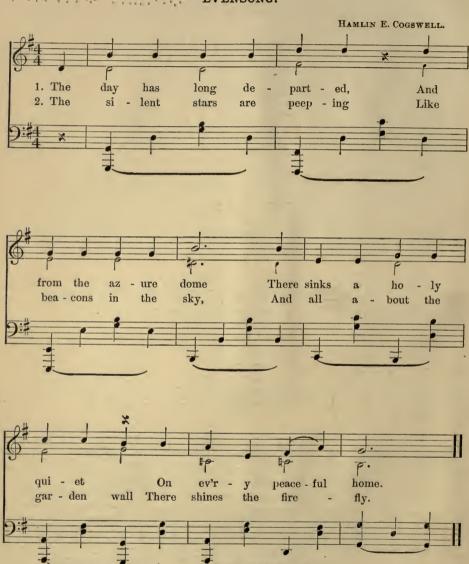


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SUMMER-TIME.



EVENSONG.





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Studies in Scale Successions.

SCALE EXERCISES.

These exercises are to be sung by the class as a whole, and by each pupil alone. Sing with the syllables until the order of the scale tones is fully established. Mark the meter by pressing the finger on the desk for each beat.



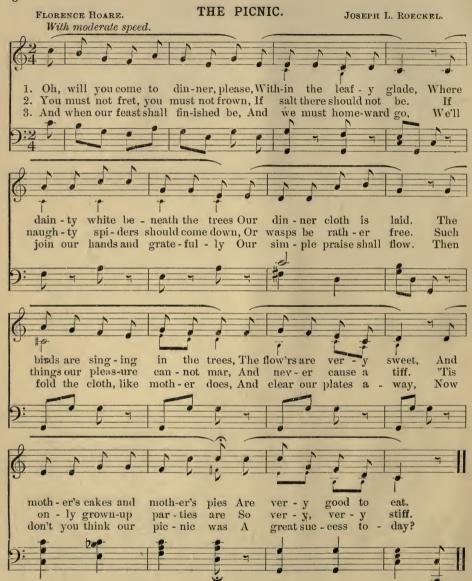
A WINTER SONG.





Throw it out up - on the snow, Call the bird ies nigh.

Do you al - ways feed the birds On a win - ter day?



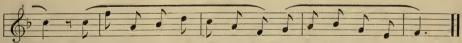
The Divided Beat.

These exercises illustrate two tones to one beat; they are to be sung by the class and by each pupil alone. The teaching should be directed to the marking of the meter. To sing the exercises is not enough, the singing must be accompanied by correct marking of the measure. Hold the finger down while two tones are given, then raise it slightly and quickly and press it down again, holding it while two more tones are



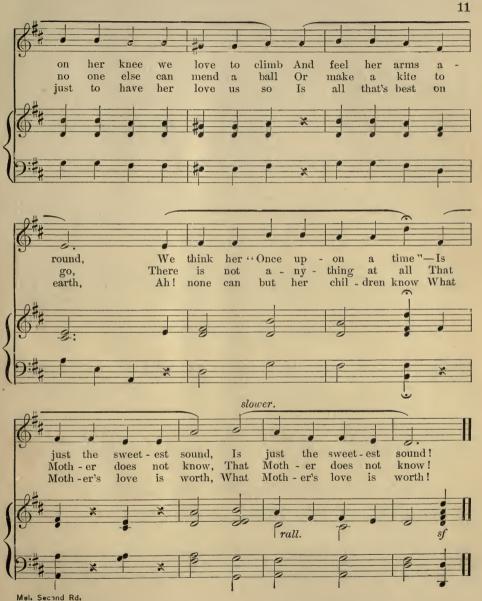


- bus y bee Im prove each shin ing 1. How doth the lit - tle
- 2. How skill-ful ly she builds her cell, How neat she spreads the



And gath-er hon - ey all the day From ev - 'ry open-ing flow'r. And la-bors how to store it well With the sweet food she makes.





The Chromatic, Sharp Four.

To teach the effect of sharp four, or Fi. Sing Do ti do, with loo, loo Change from loo, loo, loo, to Sol Fi Sol.



Studies in Two Part Music.



Tone Study.

The teacher sings:

The children sing:

Loo loo loo

Do ti do

Studies in Minor.

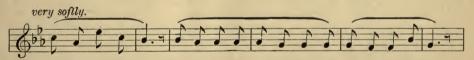
The scale from La to La is called the minor scale. The following exercises are in the minor scale.



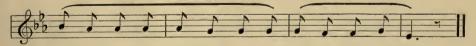
FOX AND GOOSE.



- 1. Fox, you've stol en my grey gan der, Bet ter bring him back!
- 2. Soon he will, his ri fle show-ing, Shoot you in the head!
- 3. Lit tle fox, be ware, there's dan ger, Thiev ing will not do!



Bet-ter bring him back! There's a hunter watching yonder, He is on your track, Shoot you in the head! Fast the red drops will be flowing, You will then be dead, Thiev-ing will not do! Bet-ter be to goose a stranger, Mouse is best for you,



There's a hunt-er watch-ing yon-der, He is on your track.

Fast the red drops will be flow-ing, You will then be dead.

Bet-ter be to goose a stran-ger, Mouse is best for you.

The Phrase and Period.

These exercises are for practice on the tones of the tonic chord. Call attention to the fact that the exercises consist of two *phrases* which begin precisely alike. Two phrases thus united form a period.



PRIMROSES.



- 1. Prim-ros es, prim-ros es, where have you lain? Sum mer and
- 2. Was it the blue bird, when he flew south, Took a bright

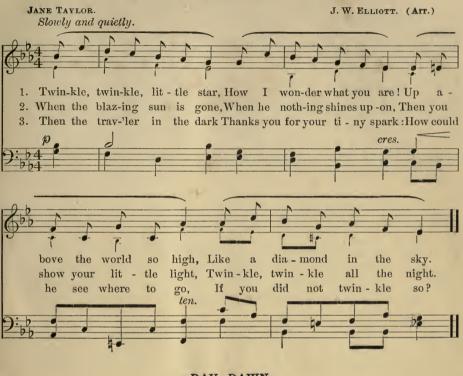


I sought you in vain; Win - ter is gone Au - tumn vel - low his mouth? Was it bud off in the rob in,

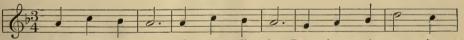


mead-ows are green; Prim-ros-es, prim-ros-es, where have you been? when he flew here, Brought in the prim-ros-es, gold-en and dear?

TWINKLE, TWINKLE, LITTLE STAR.



DAY DAWN.



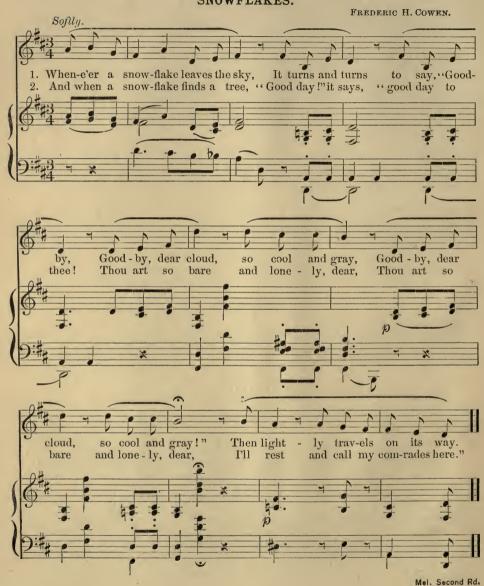
- 1. Ten der ly shine, col or di vine, Rose hue of morn ing
- 2. Blue skies a bove Sym bol of love: Heav'n's love now holds us,
- 3. Birds on the wing Joy ful ly sing Brightfeath ers glan cing



All heav'n a - dorn - ing, Ten - der - ly shine, Col - or di - vine.

Ten - der - ly folds us, Blue skies a - bove, Sym - bol of love.

Where boughs are dan - cing, Far on the wing Birds gay - ly sing.



The Motive
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The purpose of these exercises is to teach the motive formed by a long tone followed by two short ones in the same measure. Each long tone is shown by the tie () to contain the value of two short tones. Sing the long tone so that the full value is felt. See that the *beating* or marking the meter is carefully observed by each individual.



HEDGE ROSES.



Study of Sharp Four.

Review the effect of sharp four. Do not explain the representation, but accustom the children to note that a chromatic sign before Fa invariably indicates Fi. Use the exercises for individual tests, after the class as a whole sing them freely.



EVER FAITHFUL.



- 1. Let us with a joy-ful mind, Praise the Lord for He is kind,
- 2. All things liv ing He doth feed, His full hand supplies their need;

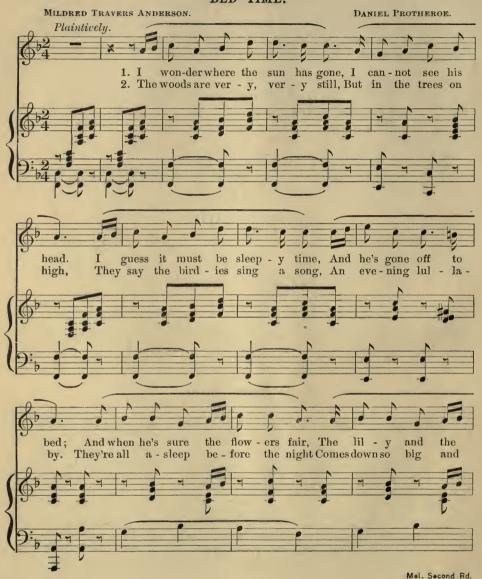


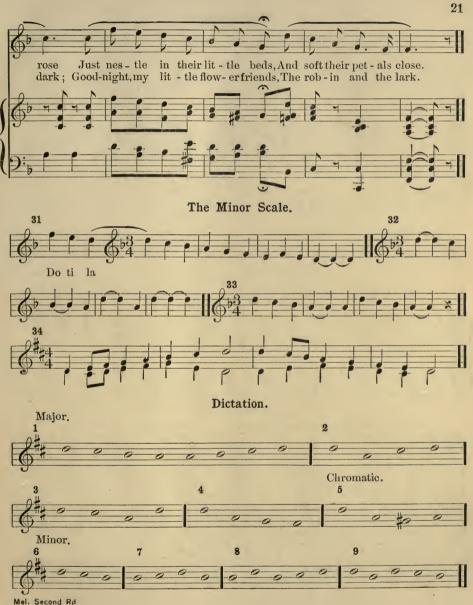
For His mer-cies shall en-dure, Ev-er faith-ful, ev-er sure.

HOT CROSS BUNS.



BED TIME.







Mel. Second Rd.



Here the motive is formed by combining two short tones. This figure, like the previous one, (see Exercise 24) should be studied until the sight of the representation instantly suggests the rhythm. See that each child beats correctly as he sings. Use the exercises for individual test.





- we can sing, can march and As a - round the room we
- we can run, When there comes a can play and hol - i - day.



Second Rd





Sol, fi, la — sounds like Do, ti, re. Teach Do, ti, re, sing it with loo, loo, loo. Sing the same tones with Sol, fi, la. See that each pupil can sing the exercises alone.





WORK AND PLAY.



- 1, Here at school we gath-er dai-ly, And we learn the gold-en rule;
- 2. Les-sons o ver, then each rov er Laughs the hap py hours a way;
- 3. Work and play we min-gle dai-ly, Both we do with lov-ing zest;



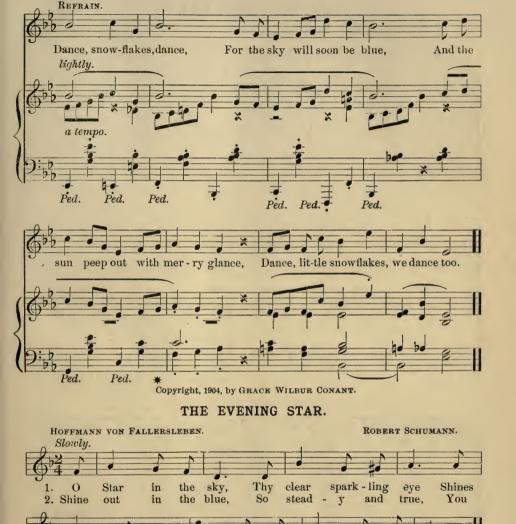
Still as - pir - ing, nev - er tir - ing. That is what we learn at school!

Mer - ry play-mates, blithe and gay mates, That's the way we do at school!

Nev - er tir - ing, still as - pir - ing, Till the sun sinks in the west.

THE SNOWFLAKE DANCE.





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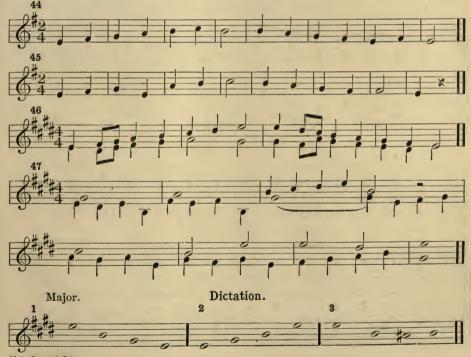
THE SUNRISE WAKES THE LARK.





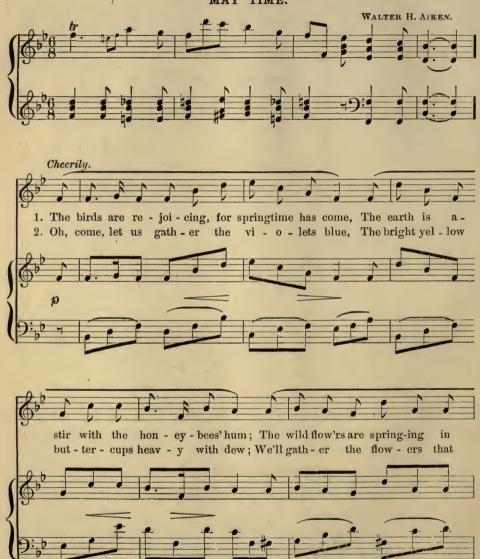
The Minor Scale.

The effect of the three tones of the strong chord of the minor scale is impressed on the ear. Repeat the La, the Do, and the Mi, until the effect is definite. Use for individual test when the class has mastered the combination.

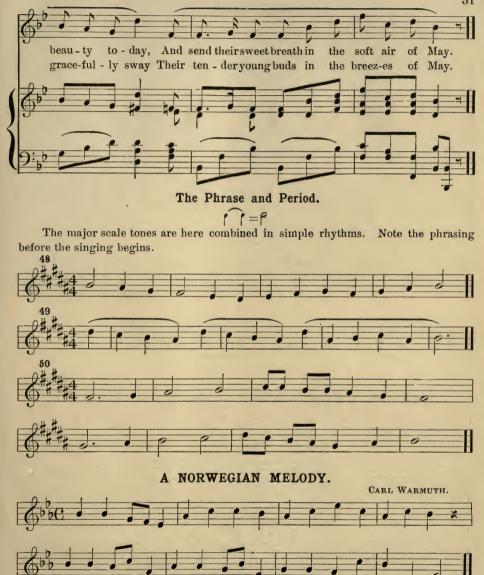


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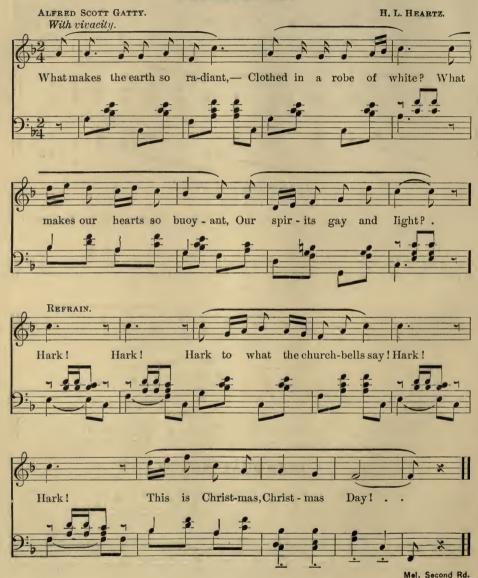


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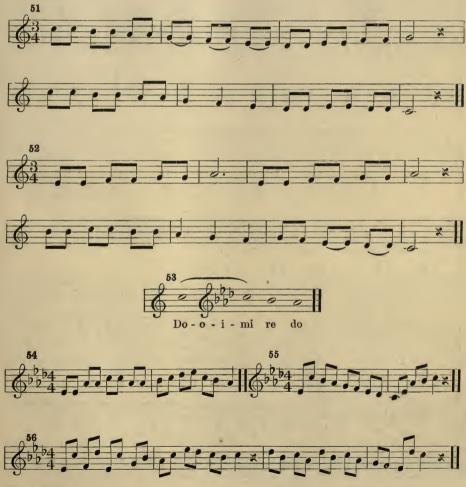
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CHRISTMAS DAY.



The Divided Beat.

Be sure the pupil holds the finger down while two tones are given, and that the full value of the longer tones is felt. Use the exercises for individual recitation.



Mel Second Rd.







The Sharp Inflex.

This exercise is the reverse of Exercise 40, p. 25. Re, ti, do, sound like La, fi, sol. Sing Re, ti, do, then give the same tones with loo, loo, loo, then apply the syllables. Each pupil must become able to give the exercises alone.

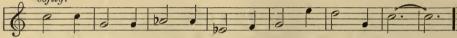


LULLABY SONG.





Still thy moth - er sits be - side thee, Sing - ing lul - la - by. . . her heart thy moth - er Sings her lul - la - by. . . Yet with-in a trifle slower. softly.



ba - by; Stars are Sleep, my ba - by; sleep, my skv. . . Sleep, my dar - ling; sleep, my dar - ling; Sleep till dawn is nigh. ba - by, Stars are in Ev - er, for her lit - tle the sky. . .

THE FAIRY RING.



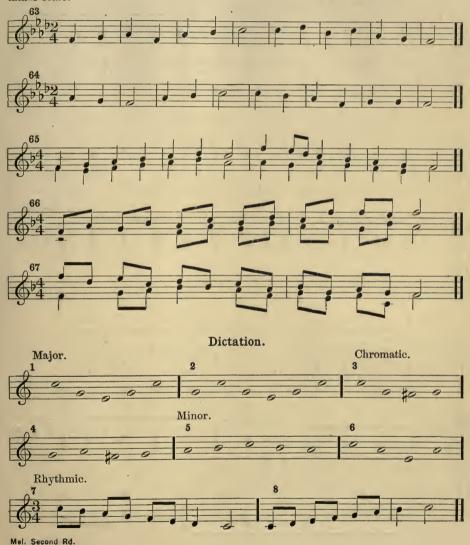
- 1. Let laugh, and let us sing, Dan-cing in a mer - ry ring;
- year, Round we cir cle glad ly 2. Like the sea - sons of the
- 3. Har-ry will be Win-ter wild, Lit - tle Char-ley, Au-tumn mild;
- 4. Spring and Sum-mer glide a way, Au-tumn comes with tres-ses
- 5. Fast er! fast er! round we go. While our cheeks like ros - es glow;



the green, Sport-ing round the fair - y We'll be fair - ies on queen. be Sum-mer, you'll be Spring, Dan-cing fair - y ring. Sum - mer, Au - tumn, Win - ter, Spring, Dan - cing fair - v ring. in a Win-ter, hand in hand with Spring, Dan-cing in a fair - v ring. Free as birds up - on the wing, Dan-cing fair - y ring. in a

Studies in Minor.

These exercises continue the study of La, do, and mi as the strong tones in the minor scale.

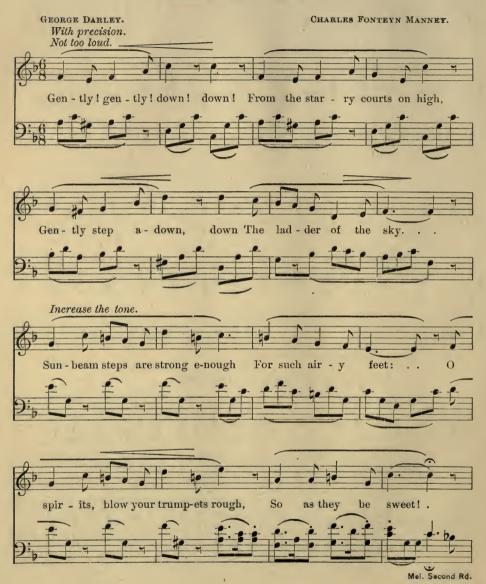


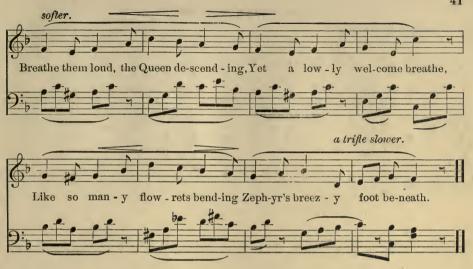
PIRATE STORY.





CHORUS OF SPIRITS.



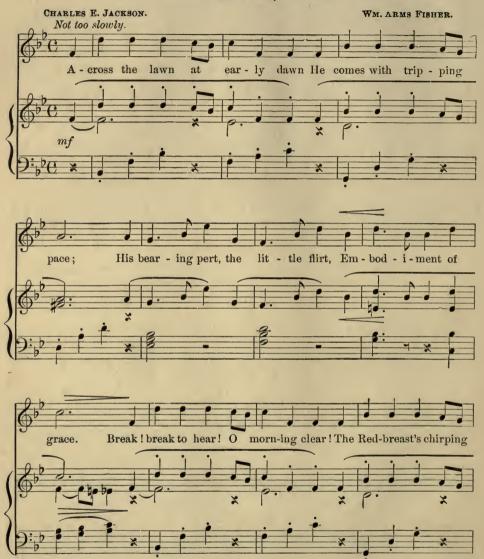


Sharp Four and its Equivalents.

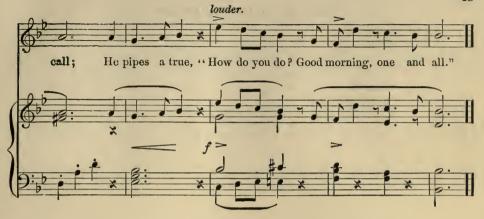
This exercise presents all sharps taken from above. This exercise should be memorized. See that every pupil can give it alone.



GOOD MORNING, ROBIN.



Mel. Second Rd.



THE CRICKET.



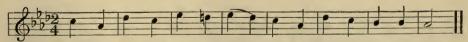
- 1. Lit tle crick et full of mirth Chirp ing on my kitch en hearth,
- 2. Pay me for thy warm re-treat With a song more soft and sweet;



Where - so - e'er be thine a - bode, Al - ways har - bin - ger of good.

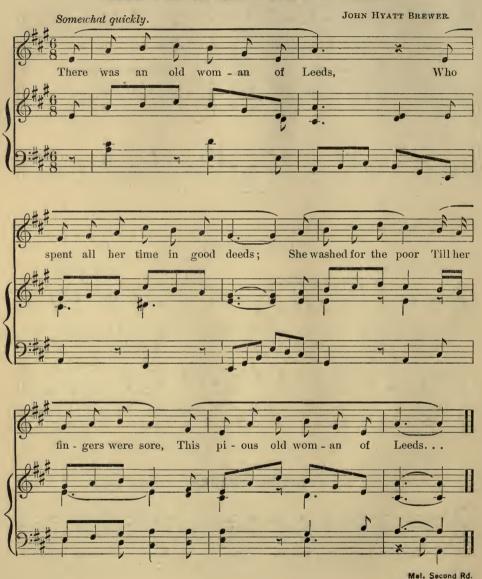
In re-turn thou shalt re-ceive Such a strain as I can give.

GIVING THANKS.



Lord, we thank Thee for the light, For the day-time, for the night.

THERE WAS AN OLD WOMAN OF LEEDS.

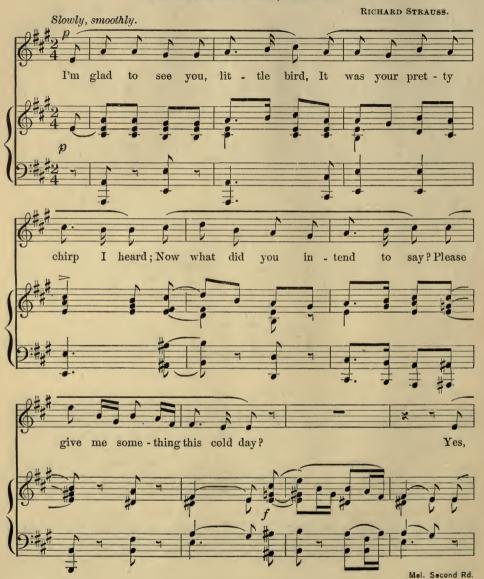


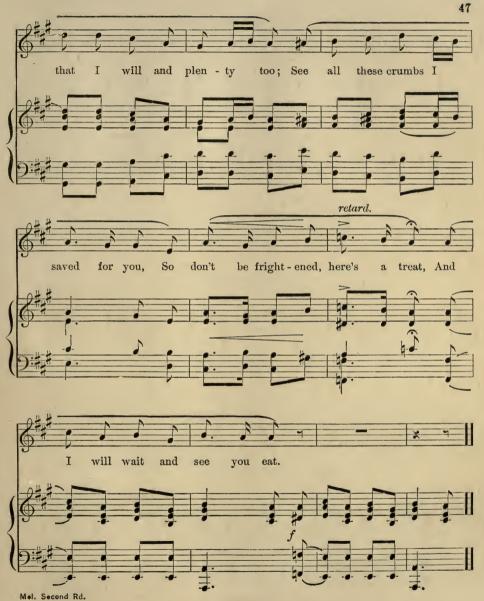
Studies in Minor.





WELCOME TO YOU, BIRDIE.





The Phrase and Period.

The three exercises are related. The rest (\gtrsim) measures indicate the end of the phrase.







- 1. Sleep, ba by, sleep! Thy fa ther guards the sheep, Thy
 2. Sleep, ba by, sleep! The large stars are the sheep, The
- 3. Sleep, ba by, sleep! Our Sav iour loves His sheep, He



moth - er shakes dream-land tree, And fall the from it sweet guess, The lit - tle ones the gen - tle lambs, T moon is the Lamb God high, Who sakes came of on for our



sleep! dreams for thee; ba - by, ba - by, sleep! Sleep, Sleep, shep-herd-ess, ba - by, ba - by, Sleep, sleep! Sleep, sleep! ba - by, ba - by sleep! down to die, Sleep, sleep! Sleep,

The Divided Beat.

Call attention to the new motive which consists of a long tone followed by two short ones, which in turn are followed by a long one.

See that the meter is perfectly marked and that the motive is memorized by every pupil.

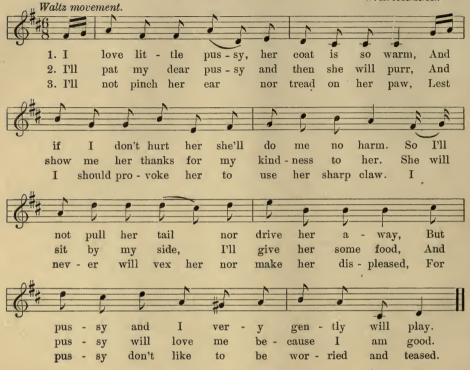


SNOW-TIME.



MY LITTLE PUSSY.

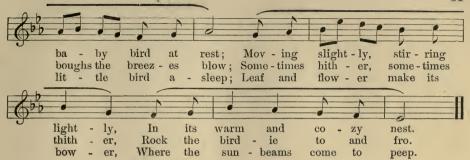
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The Effect of Fi.

(Ascending from Mi to Sol.)

Mi, fi, sol, sounds like La, ti, do. Sing La, ti, do. Sing the same tones, calling them Mi, fi, sol. Practice the exercise with the class till it is mastered, then see that each pupil can sing it alone.





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SPRING'S GREETING.

FELIX MENDELSSOHN-BARTHOLDY.



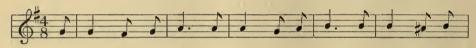
- 1. In my ear I hearthem toll: Fair y bells are ring ing,
- 2. Haste a way, nor pause nor stay, While the clouds are fleet ing;

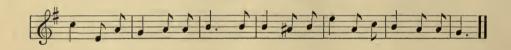


Songs so sweet, O, haste a - way, Where the birds are sing - ing. Shouldst thou find a rose - bud sweet, Say I send her greet - ing.

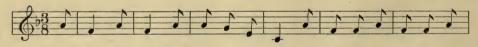
SONG MELODIES.

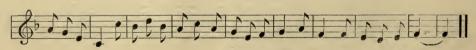
GRABEN-HOFFMAN.





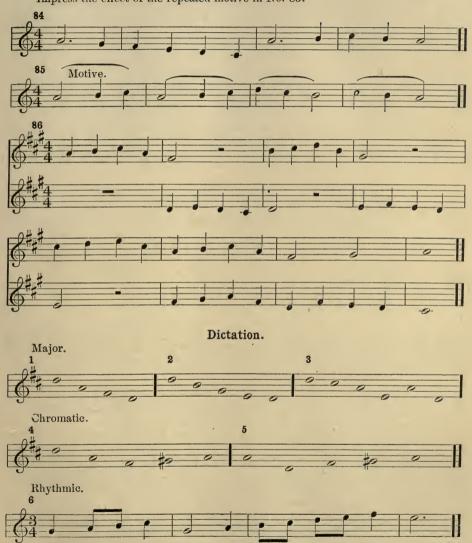
Norwegian Folksong.

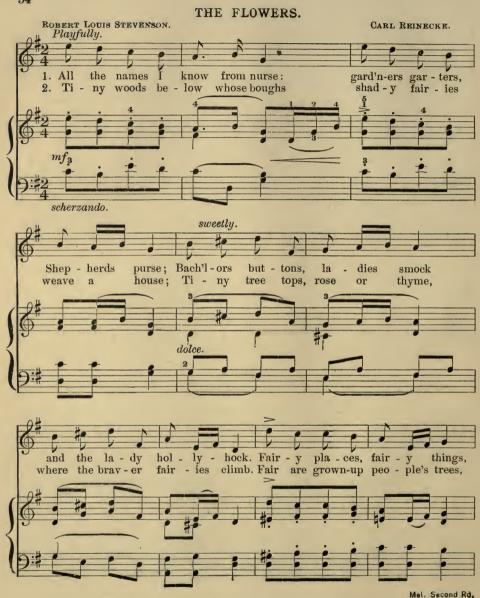


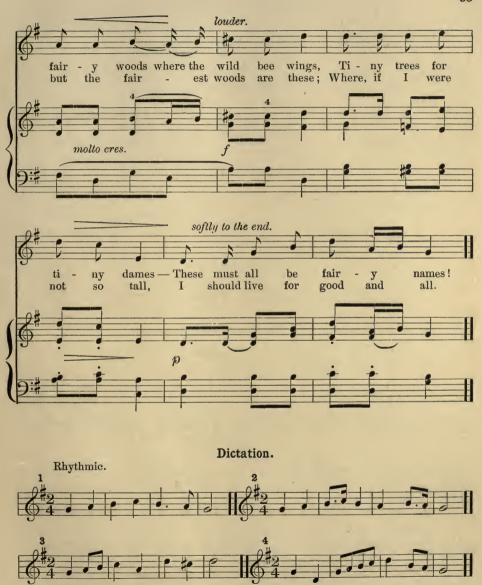


Studies in Minor.

Impress the effect of the repeated motive in No. 85.







THE WANING MOON.





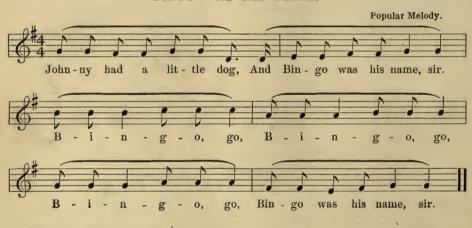
The Motive.

In this exercise the motive consists of two short tones followed by two long tones. Be sure to give the quarter notes the value shown in the first measure, where the two eighths tied stand for quarter notes.





BINGO WAS HIS NAME.



A GERMAN MELODY.



Mel. Second Rd.

The Catch Note.

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Note the difference between Studies 89 and 90. See that each pupil can sing them alone, beating properly.



OUT OF DOORS.



The sky's a pret - ty, pret - ty blue, The grass and leaves are green,

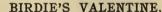


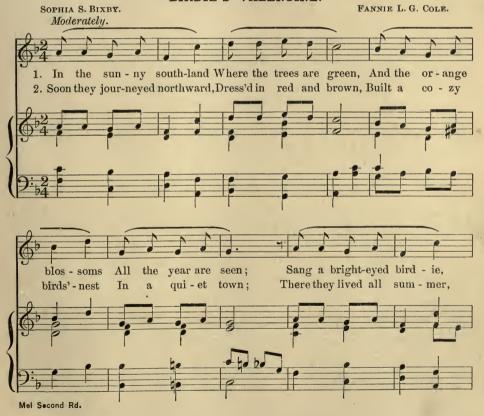
And ev - 'ry-where in all the fields, The brightest flow 'rs are seen.

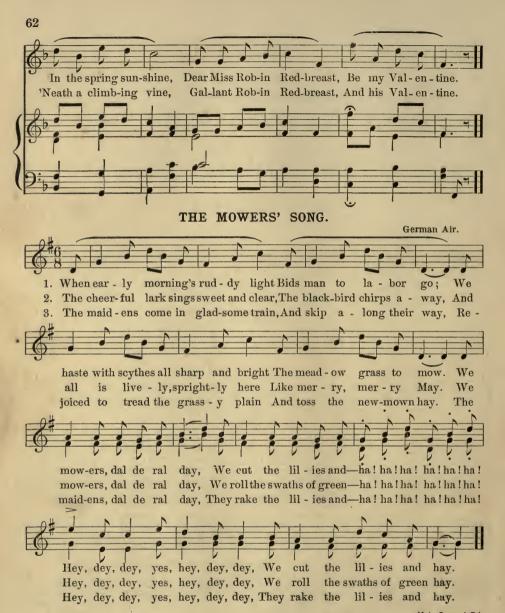


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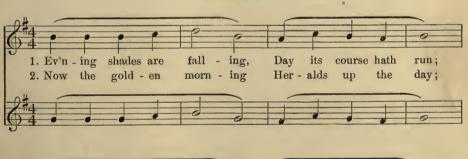
These studies teach the effect of Te (flat seven) after La.

La, te, la, sounds like Mi, fa, mi. Sing Mi, fa, mi, then sing the same tones with loo, loo, loo, then apply the syllables La, te, la.

See that every pupil can give the exercise alone.



EVENING.



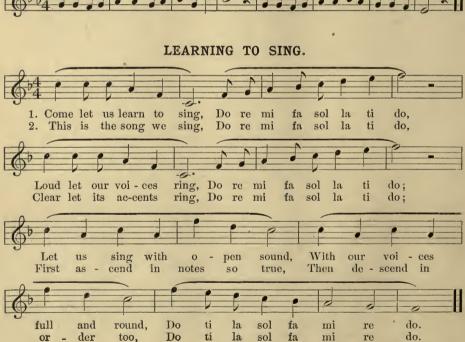


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Note that measures one and three in No. 98 are alike in tones, but that the representation is different. The quarter notes should be interpreted as if formed of two eighths joined.

Subdivisions of the Phrase.



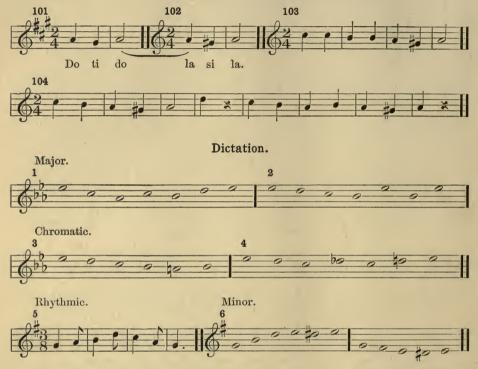


THE MORNING BREAKS.



Studies in Minor.

The minor studies with Si or sharp five are much more natural than those without that tone. See that La, si, la is mastered by every pupil in the class.



In six-eight meter give two beats in each measure. Press the finger down and hold it there while three tones are given. Note that the quarter notes should be sung so as to give the effect of two eighths tied.



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The Divided Beat.

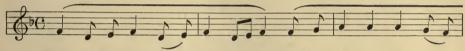
Continue the practice in giving two tones for one beat. See that the half-note is given the value of four eighth-notes.



THE LITTLE DOVES.

Rev. John Henry Hopkins.

Intimately.



- 1. High on the top of an old pine tree, Broods a moth er dove with her
- When in the nest they are left a lone, While their mother seek ing.
 Fast grow the young ones day and night, Till their wings are plumed for a



young ones, three: Warm o - ver them, is her soft down - y breast, And they food has flown, Qui - et and gen - tle. . they all re-main, Till their lon - ger flight, Till un - to them the. . day draws nigh, The..



moth - er they see come home a - gain; "Coo," say the lit - tle ones, time when they all must say "Good bye!" "Coo," say the lit - tle ones,



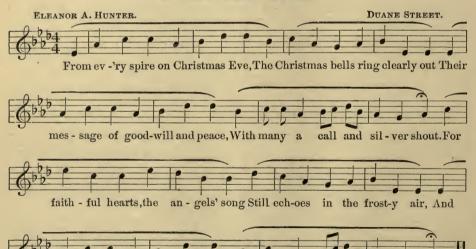
- "Coo." says she, All in their nests in the old pine
- "Coo," says she, All in their nests in the old pine tree.
- "Coo," says she, And a way they . . fly from the old pine tree.

Flat Seven.

Sol, fa, mi, sounds like Do, te, la. Sing Sol, fa, mi; give the same tones calling them loo, loo, loo, then apply the syllables Do, te, la, to the same sounds. See that each individual masters these exercises.



A CHRISTMAS HYMN.

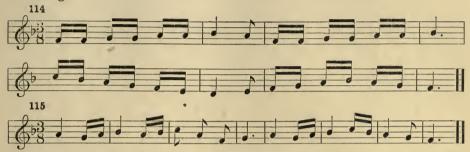


by the al-tar low they bow, In

ad - o - ra - tion and in prayer.

The Divided Beat in 3.

Two sixteenth notes to the beat. Be sure to hold the finger down while the two tones are given.



To teach the effect of Sol, fi, mi, note that Do, ti, la and Sol, fi, mi sound alike, and that therefore Sol, fi, mi produce the effect of the minor mode or scale.



A LITTLE BOY'S DREAM.

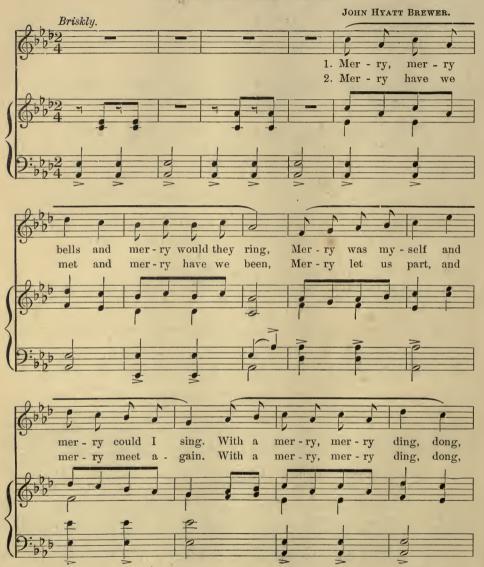


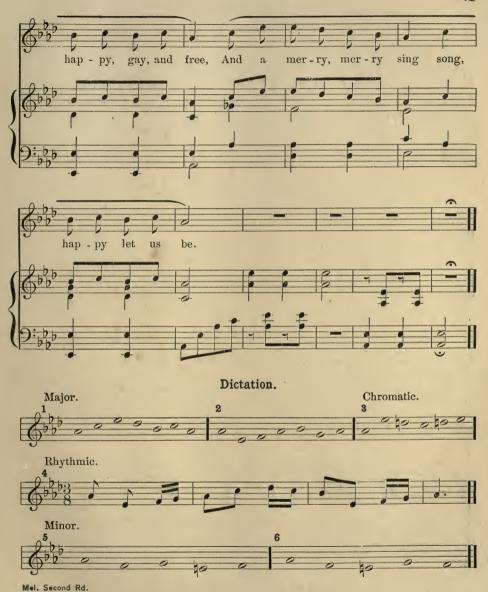
- 1. A lit-tle boy was dream-ing Up-on his nur se's lap. . That the
- 2. So when his dream was o ver What did that lit-tle boy do?.. He



pins fell out of all the stars, And the stars fell in - to his cap. went and looked in - side his cap, And found it was not true.

MERRY ARE THE BELLS.





PLAY TIME.

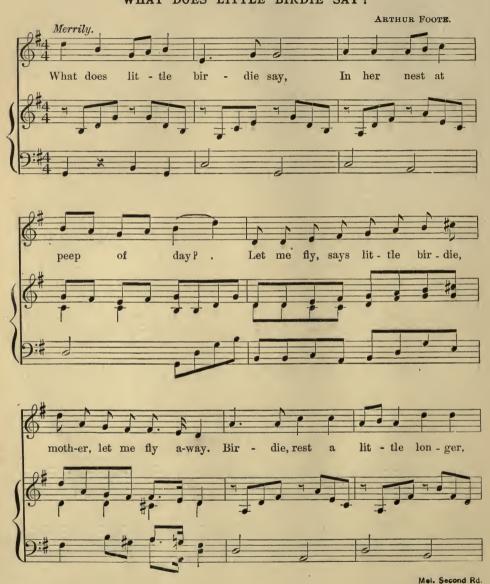
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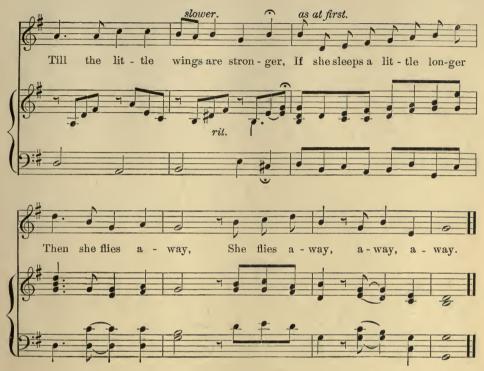




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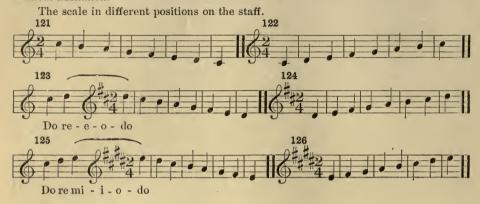
WHAT DOES LITTLE BIRDIE SAY?







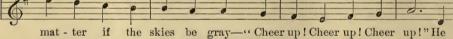
Singing the scale down and up from different pitches should open every lesson. The pupils should gain the power to make the change indicated in Studies 123 and 125, without hesitation.







- 1. A lit tle bird sings all the day—" Cheer up! Cheer up! " No
- 2. He sings in voice, both blithe and bold—" Cheer up! Cheer up! Cheer up! And



lit - tle cares for storm or cold—"Cheer up! Cheer up! Cheer up!" Oh,



flies o'er fields, in ear - ly morn, A mes - sage glad - ly brings, And let us all this les - son heed, And from these cheer - y birds Learn



on - ly these two words he sings—"Cheer up! Cheer up! Ch

Hold the finger down while singing two tones. Uniting two eighth notes gives the value of a quarter note.

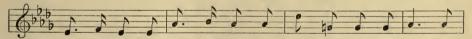
Divided Beat.



O, BUN, BUNNY RABBIT WHITE.

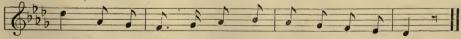


- 1. O, bun, bun ny rab bit white, With ne'er a word to say, Why
- 2. O, bun, bun ny rab bit white, Your eyes are red of hue, And
- 3. O, bun, bun ny rab bit white, For all your ru by eyes, And



can't you sing or leap and spring And make some mer - ry play? O what a pair of ears you've got, They're long e-nough for two. O

long, long ears I great - ly fear You are not o - ver wise. O



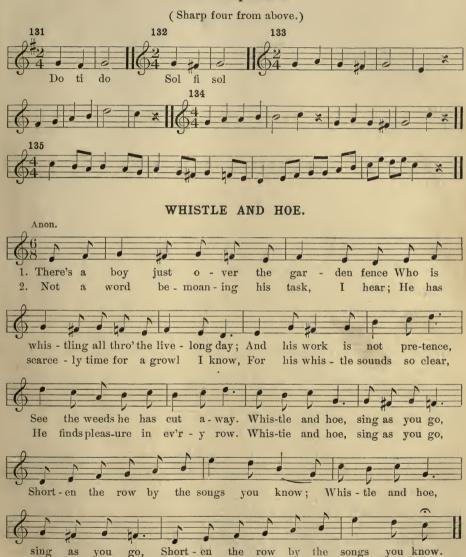
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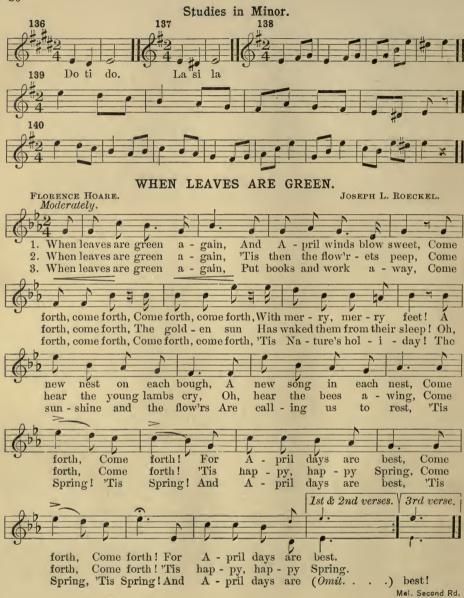
bun, bun - ny rab - bit white, You've ears e-nough for two.

bun, bun - ny rab - bit white, You are not o - ver wise.

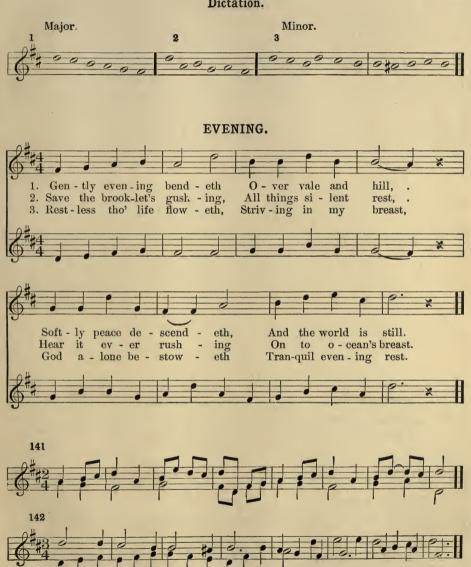


The Sharp Inflex.

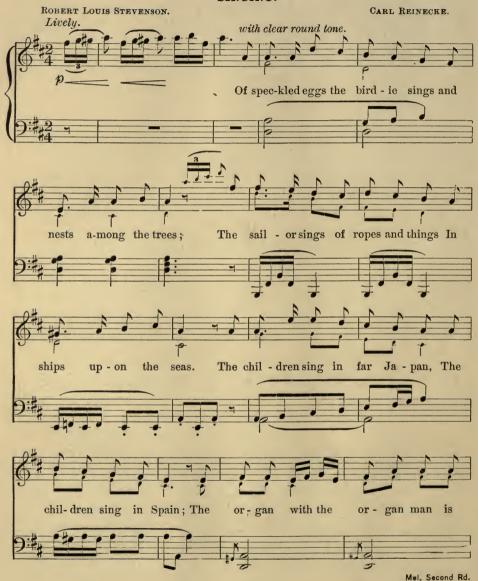




Dictation.



SINGING.





Studies in Three-Part Meter.

Call attention to the wide skips in No. 145, and establish the tones before the singing is attempted.





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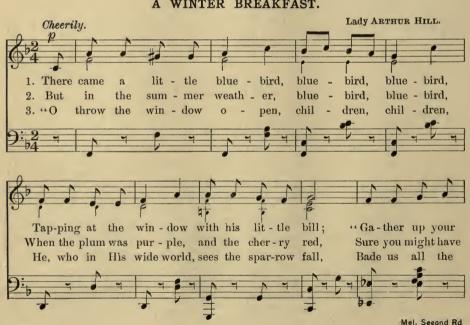
up-ward look to the sky Than al-ways a sad look down.
right, be mild as a dove, And ev - er in deeds be kind.
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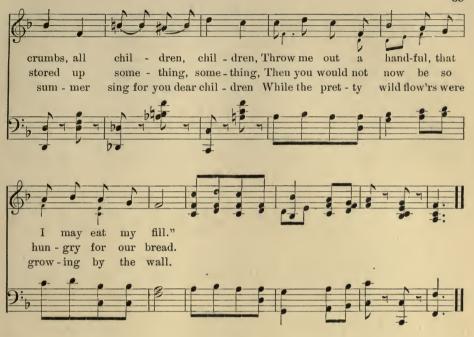
Divided Beat = 1 Multiple Beat | = |

Two tones to the beat in three part meter. See that the meter is carefully marked. Note the wide intervals in Study 147. Fix these tones carefully before beginning. Be sure that value of two eighth notes is felt in each quarter.



A WINTER BREAKFAST.





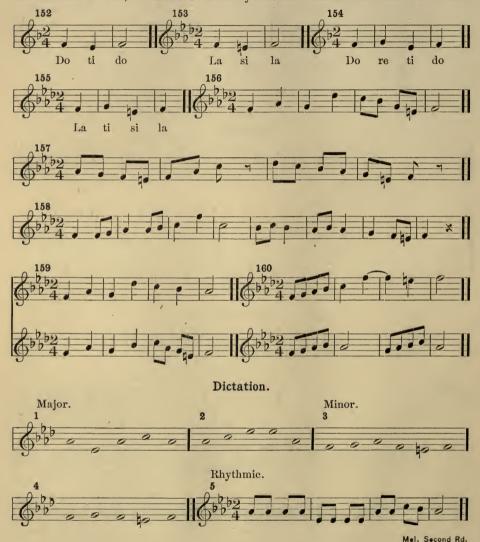
Studies with Chromatic Tones.

Study the wide intervals in 150 and 151 before beginning. See that each pupil can sing the studies alone.



Studies in Minor.

Fix the type tones in Studies 152, 153, 154 and 155. Study from the scale the wide intervals in 156, 157 and 158: carefully note the location of the tones on the staff.





MERRY IS THE GYPSIES' LIFE.



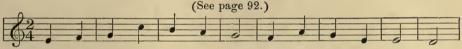
The Multiple Rest.

(Intervals and Rests.)

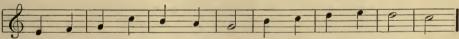
Bring out the contrast in the meter (two part and three part). See that the effect of the rests is fully felt.



SUMMER DAYS.



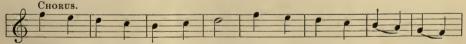
- 1. Skies have lost their trop-ic glow, Win-ter winds are blow-ing,
- 2. Flow'rs have ceased their blos som ing, Birds their bow'rs for sak en,
- 3. Soon the air with song will ring With the bees' low hum-ming;



But be-neath the ice and snow Rip-pling streams are flow - ing.

But the balm - y breath of spring Will their beau - ty wak - en.

Joy o'er earth her robe will fling, Sum-mer days are com - ing.

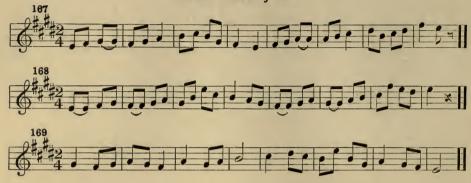


Sum-mer days will come a - gain, Flow'rs of hope are glow - ing;



From the fount of life a - bove Streams of joy are flow - ing. Mel. Second Rd.

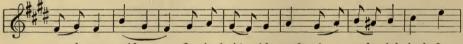
Studies in Rhythm.



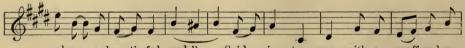
AN OCTOBER CHAT.



2. Then the beach-grass laugh'd to hear them chaff, As the breeze sway'd her



ma-ple tree said, . . "It is fash'n-ably made, of a wonder-ful shade, In up and down: "Not in red or green would I be seen, But



col-or a beauti-ful red.". . Said a pine-tree near, with a scoff and a on-ly in deep, warm brown." So they all stood at the edge of the



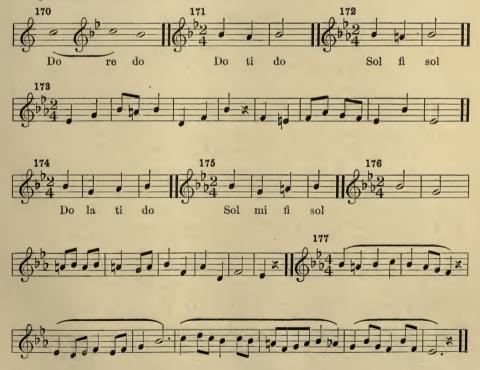
sneer, And scorn-ful-ly shak-ing her head, . . "In rich, dark wood, And talked in the crisp, Fall weath - er, And the red and



green I'd pre-fer to be seen, Than in an-y bright shade of red.". . green, with the brown, I ween, Made a beau-ti-ful sight to - geth - er.

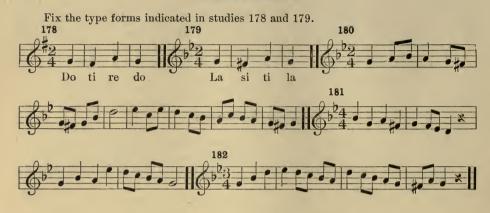
Chromatic Studies.

Studies 171 and 175 give the key to the most frequent use of Fi. Master these completely. Study the intervals carefully from the scale, introducing Fi. Note in Study 177 (sixth measure) Fi, re, occur. Make special note of this combination. Its equivalent is Ti, sol.

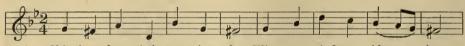


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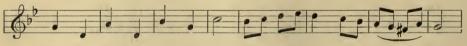
Studies in Minor.



SUMMER DAYS ARE COMING.



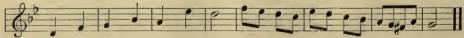
- 1. Skies have lost their trop ic glow, Win ter winds are blow ing;
- 2. Flow'rs have ceas'd their blos-som ing, Birds their bow'rs for sak en;
- 3. Soon the air with song will ring, With the bees' low hum ming;



But be-neath the ice and snow Rip-pling streams are flow - ing. But the balm - y breath of spring Will their beau-ty wak - en. Joy o'er earth her robe will fling, Sum-mer days are com - ing.

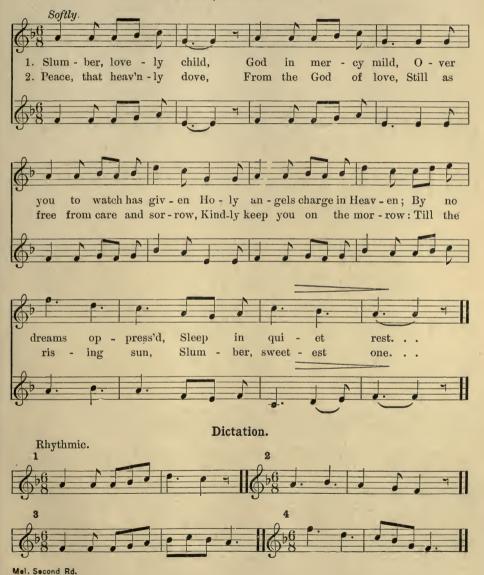


Sum - mer days will come a - gain, Flow'rs of hope are glow - ing,



From the fount of life a-bove Streams of joy are flow - ing.

SLUMBER, LOVELY CHILD.

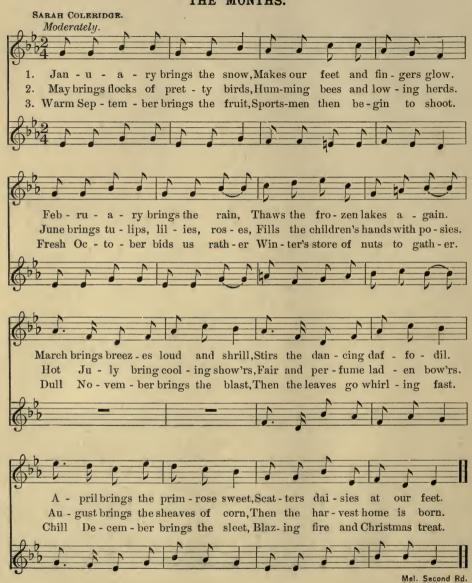






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THE MONTHS.

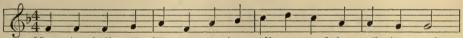


Multiple Beat and Rests.

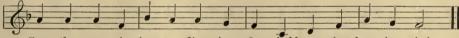
These studies should be carefully examined by the pupils, and then sung without special drill.



MORNING BELLS.



- 1. Morn-ing bells of life are ring-ing, All a-round the smil-ing earth, 2. Now they tell of child-hood dreaming, Of its youth-ful mer-ry play,
- 3. Grate-ful then as du-ty bids us, Lov-ing-ly as chil-dren should,

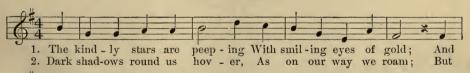


Gen - tle mu-sic they are fling-ing On glad hearts that love its mirth.

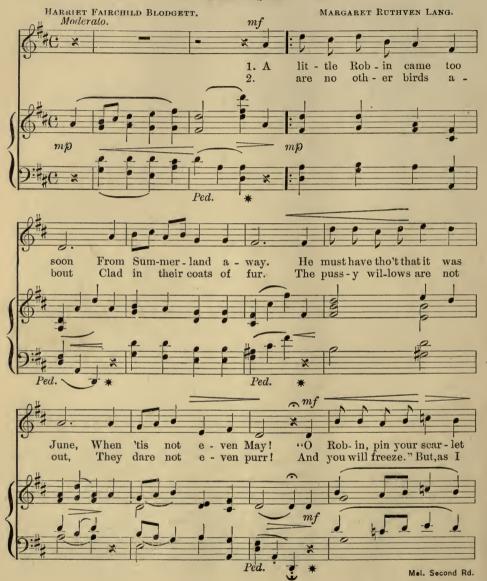
And with fan - cy ev - er teem - ing, Make us hap - py day by day.

As the bells of life keep ring-ing, Let us seek each oth-er's good.

THE STARS.



night o'er earth is creep - ing, Its beau-ties to un - fold. love will soon dis - cov - er The safe re-treat of home.





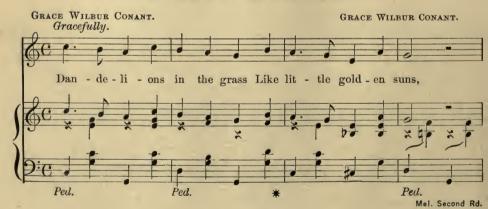
The Dotted Note in 2.

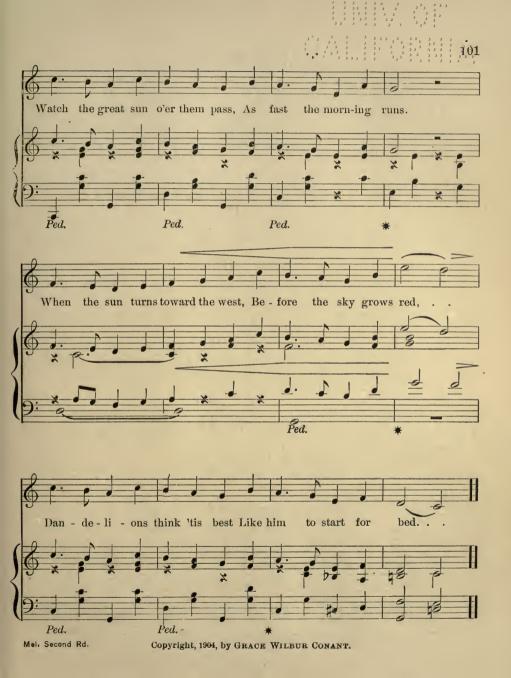
This new work requires special consideration. Observe how the dotted note is built up: it receives two beats, not one and a half. (There is no half beat.) Sing the dotted notes so as to show their full content, i. e., three eighths.

Study the intervals, noting Fa ti in No. 189. Continue these studies till each pupil can sing them alone with proper beating.



DANDELIONS IN THE GRASS.





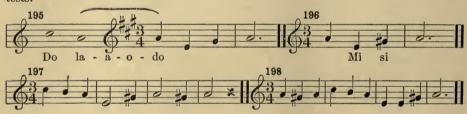
Study of Fi.

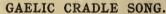
Master the type forms 191 and 192. Carefully consider the intervals in 193 and 194. Sing until the true melodic value is felt.



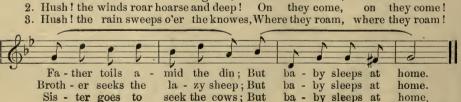
Study of Si.

We must learn to take Si freely from every other tone. Master the type forms 195 and 196. Give careful consideration to the intervals in 197 and 198 before singing. Repeat each exercise until it is sung very freely with correct beating. Make individual tests.

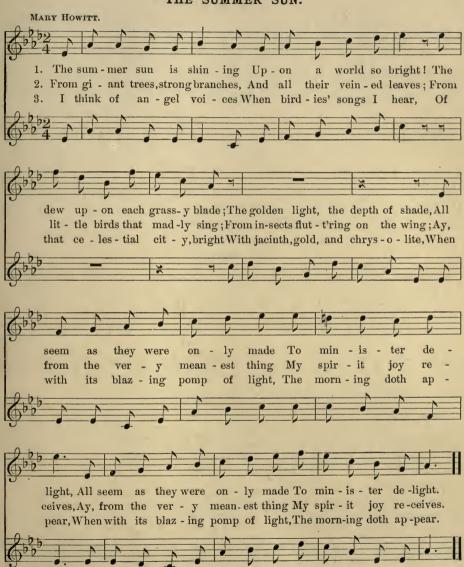








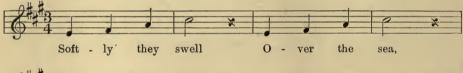
THE SUMMER SUN.

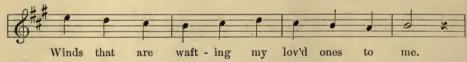


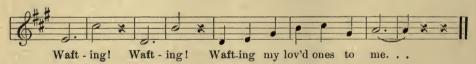
Rhythmic Contrasts.

Make a careful study of the intervals, and repeat until their melodic value is felt. Study 202 should be sung, giving two beats to each measure.









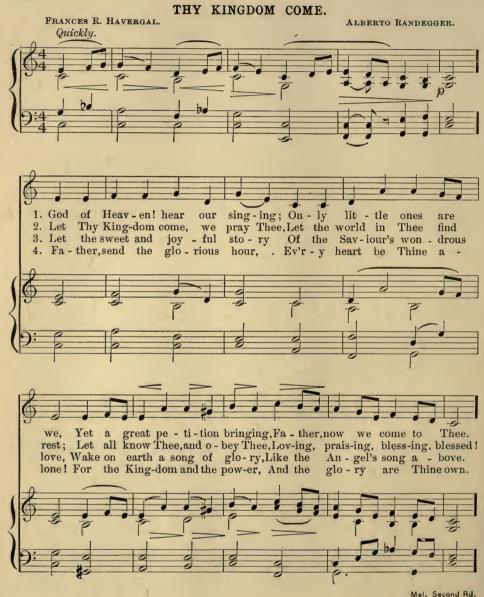
Dictation.



The Dotted Note.



Down, down to won-der-land! Down, down to won-der-land go! Sleep, sleep, sleep in that won-der-land! Sleep, sleep in won-der-land sleep! Sleep, sleep, sleep in that won-der-land! Sleep, sleep and now ba-by's gone!

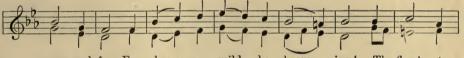




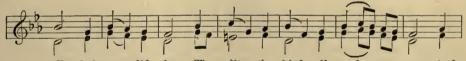
EVENING.



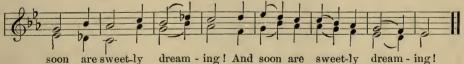
- 1. With gold en light the even ing star Smiles forth its greet ings
- 2. But Thou, O Lord, dost nev er sleep-Thy watch throughout the



near and far, From heav - en mild - ly beam - ing! The flow'r-ets night Thou'lt keep O'er ev'r - y wea - ry mor - tal! Oh, let me



all their eye - lids close, The lit - tle birds all seek . re - pose, And slum - ber in Thy care, Un - til the morn, so bright and fair, Opes



soon are sweet-ly dream - ing! And soon are sweet-ly dream - ing! wide her gold - en por - tal! Opes wide her gold - en por - tal!

Mei. Second Rd,

Study of Te.

Master the type studies 205 and 206. Note the wide intervals and give them special study from the staff. Sing until the melody is fully developed.



Study of Si.

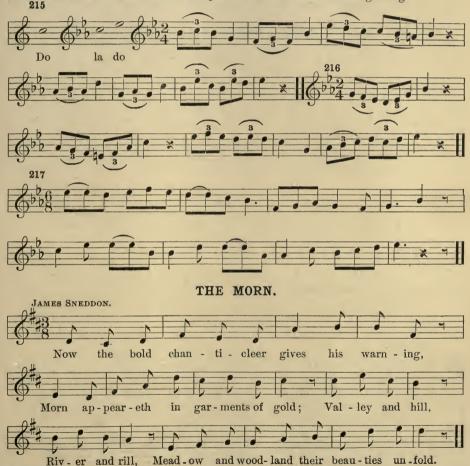
Si approached from Sol is a study of great importance. Do not pass over it until it is mastered. Go from the type studies 210, 211 and 212 to the melodies 213 and 214, and return again, using one to illustrate the other, until both are mastered.



Studies in Rhythm.

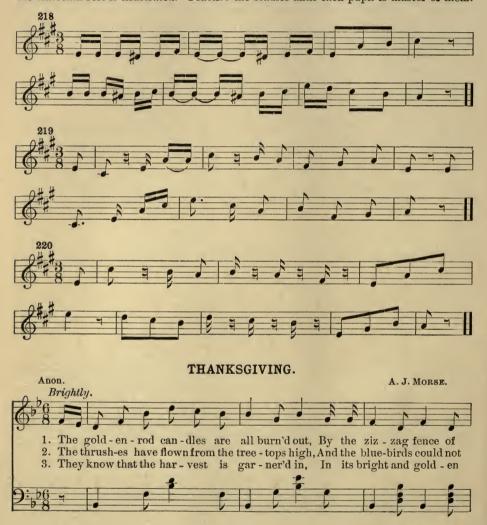
The Triplet.

Sing Studies 215 and 216 freely as melodies, giving two beats to the measure, and then apply the teaching to No. 217, giving this study also with two beats to the measure. Note the wide intervals and the position of the notes before beginning.

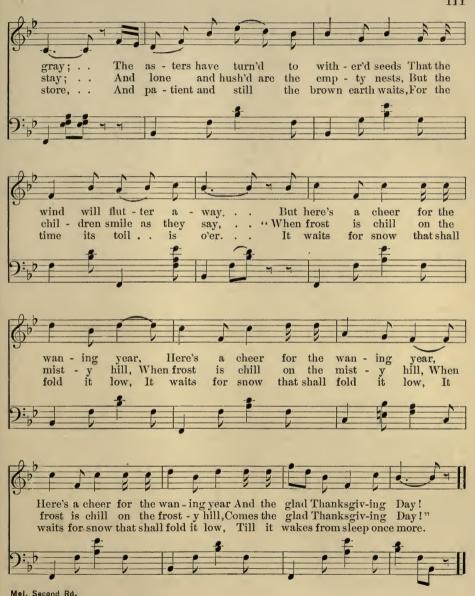


Divided Beat and Dotted Note.

In three eight meter the dotted eighth note receives two beats. Note how it is built up in No. 218. See that the beating is correct. In No. 219 and 220 the use of the sixteenth rest is illustrated. Practise the studies until each pupil is master of them.

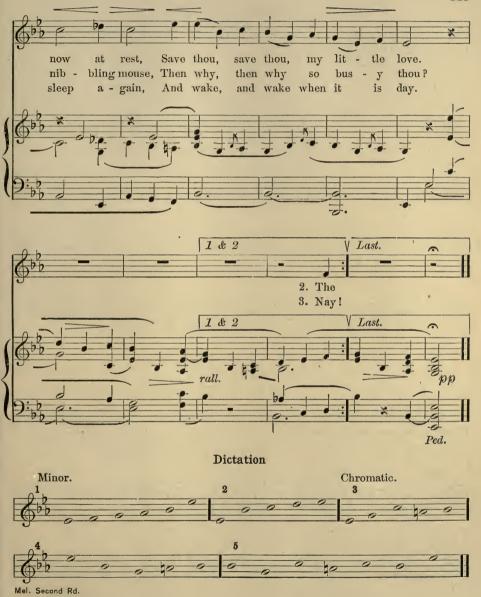


Mel. Second Rd.



COTTAGERS' LULLABY.





Study of Te from La.

Master the type studies 221 and 222. Note the application of the new combination in the melodies and also the wide skips.



Study of the Minor Mode.

The type form contained in Study 226 and Study 227 must be fixed by many repetitions. Note carefully the intervals in 228, and give them ample study from the scale on the board.





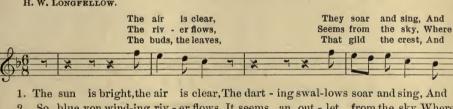
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IT IS NOT ALWAYS MAY.

H. W. LONGFELLOW.



- 2. So blue you wind-ing riv er flows, It seems an out let from the sky, Where
- 3. All things are new; the buds, the leaves, That gild the elm-tree's nodding crest, And



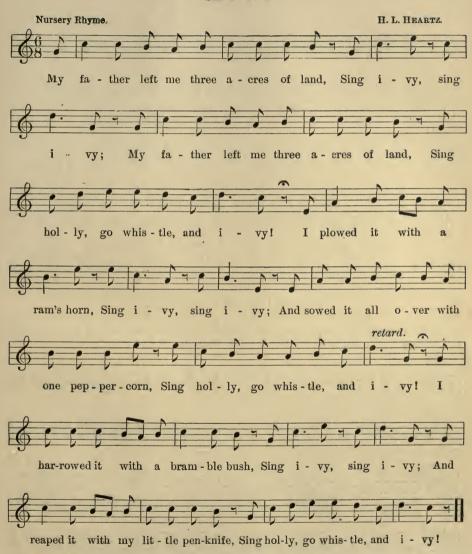


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THE SONG OF THE SNOW-FLAKES.



SING IVY.



Multiple Beat and Rests.

Repeat until the study is rendered gracefully with one beat for each measure. This is a preparation for the free interpretation of six-eight meter with two beats to the measure.



Study in Interval and Rhythm.

Note carefully the intervals in 233 and 234. Repeat until the melodic effect is fully established. In 235 the phrase is repeated from different pitches.





Mel. Second Rd.

Chromatic Progressions Downward by Minor Seconds.

Sing Sol mi, then, Sol fa mi, then sol fi fa mi, repeating the tones until Sol and Mi are exactly in tune. The Fi and the Fa will soon be correctly placed if the first and last tones are correct. Study 240 is so distinctly a song that it will serve to fix the progression forever.



The Minor Mode.

See that each pupil can sing these melodies freely alone. Make careful preliminary study of the wide intervals.

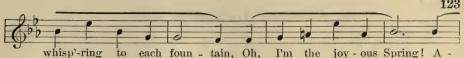


IN THE JOYOUS SPRING.

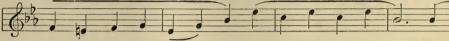


- 1. I'm com-ing o'er the moun-tain, With buds up on each wing; I'm
- 2 The hearts that pin'd, by care entwined, Feel o'er their sor rows steal, A





sweet - born dream, a bright gleam The Spring's glad hours re - veal. Sweet

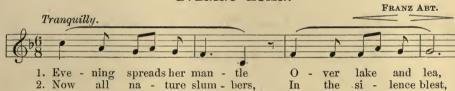


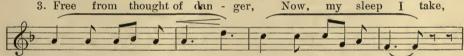
round my steps I'm fling - ing A sun-shine, ev - er bright; While drops of dew, Like watch-lamps true, Are hang-ing o'er the flow'rs, To



all fill'd with new fair things Are sing - ing, And de - light. call their bloom From winter's gloom To wel-come Spring's glad hours.

EVENING HYMN.





all Now, while is si lent Let me tran-quil be! While thou watch-est Sweet will be my o'er me rest!. Till. with Thy glad sun - shine, In the morn I wake. louder.



my child ish sor Fa ther. hear my pray'r, row, How can ill be - fall me. Lord, when Thou art near? will T Then a - rouse Sing new songs of praise me.



All my faith re - pos - es While Thine an - gels guard me mer - cy the bound-less

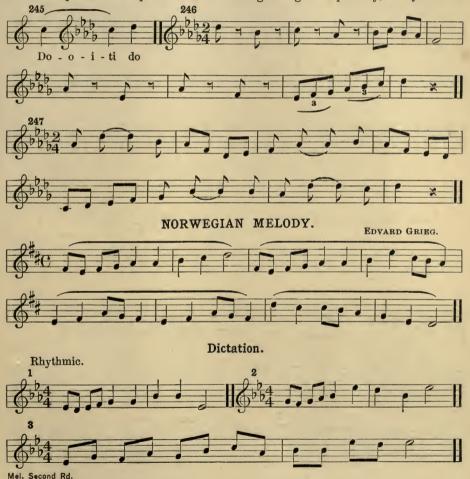
Thy heav'n - ly care! What have I fear? to Thou show'st me al - ways!



Study of Rests and Syncopation.

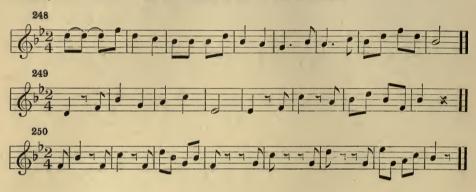
Note that Study 246 is to be sung in a smooth, simple manner. The rests indicate that the tones are to be short and detached, not jerky and over-accented.

Study 247 introduces syncopation. All syncopations are made easy by regarding the syncopated tone as a combination of two shorter ones. Note that the tied eighth notes are equivalent to a quarter note. First sing the eighths separately, then join them.



The Dotted Note.

Study of the dotted note. In No. 249 a rest stands in the place of the dot. Sing the first measure of No 248, then simply make the tone for the dotted note a little shorter, and the effect of the first measure in No. 249 is secured.



The Triplet.

The triplet in two-four prepares the way for the easy reading of six eight meter. Study these exercises in their relation to each other.

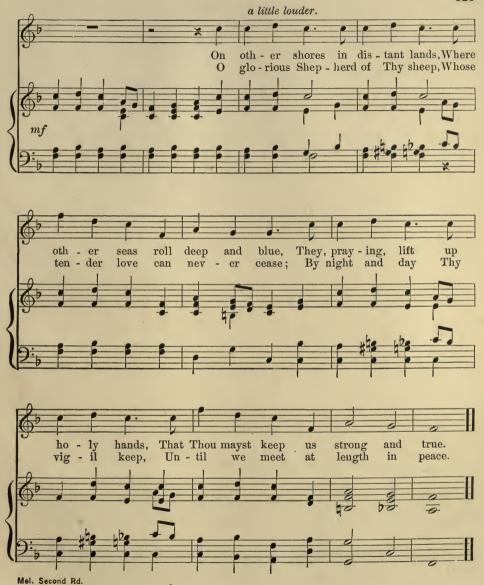


SLEEP, LITTLE CHILD!

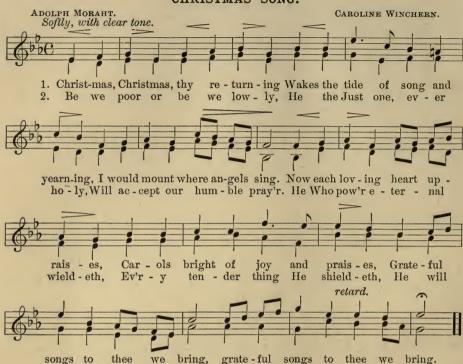


FOR ABSENT FRIENDS.





CHRISTMAS SONG.



Rhythm.

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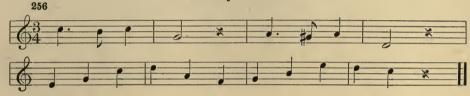
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The melodies are strong and very easily memorized. The main point to be observed is the manner in which the pupil marks the meter. See that the beats are regular and that the accents are properly placed.

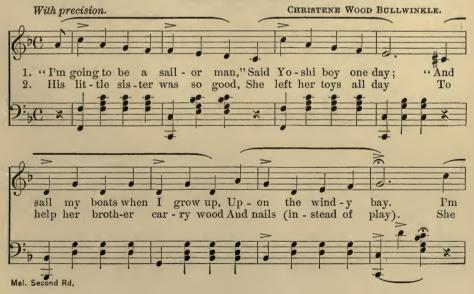




Review Study of Chromatics.



THE SAILOR MAN.



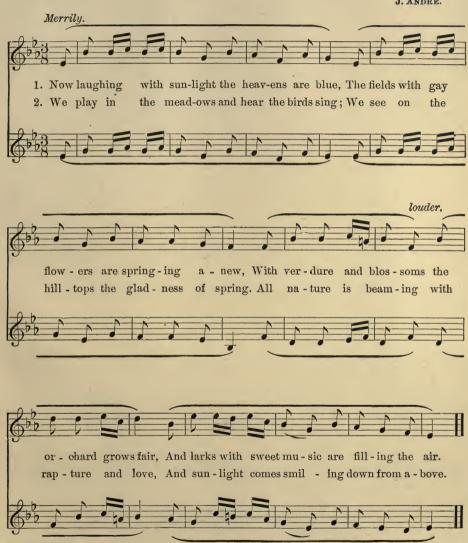


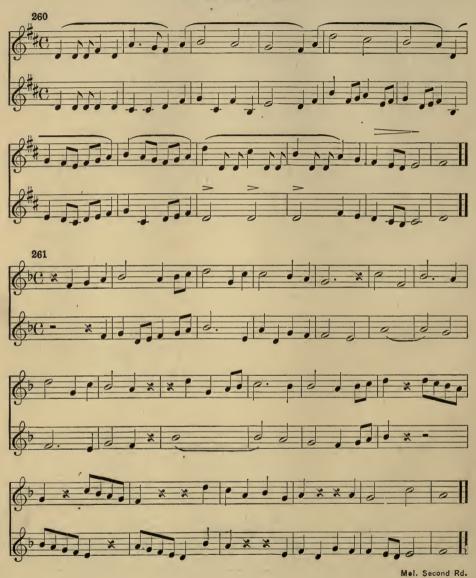
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LAUGHING WITH SUNLIGHT.

J. ANDRE.



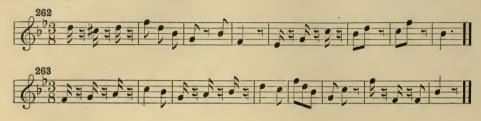




Studies in Three-Eight Meter.

The Sixteenth Note >

These studies require three beats to the measure. Practice the intervals in advance of the singing.



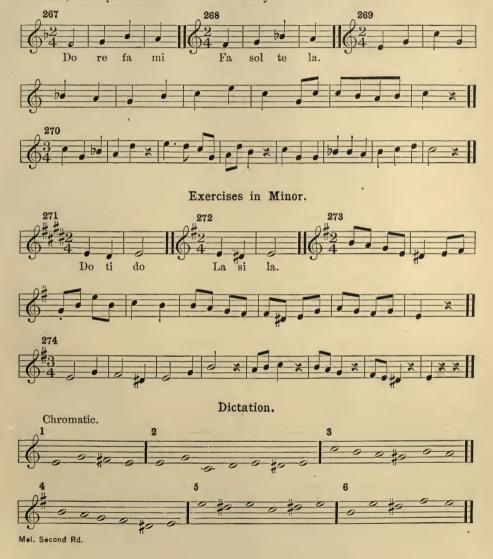
Studies in Rhythm.

Study 264 should be mastered, giving three beats to the measure, afterwards give one beat; when the movement is fully felt, pass to Nos. 265 and 266, singing with two beats to the measure.



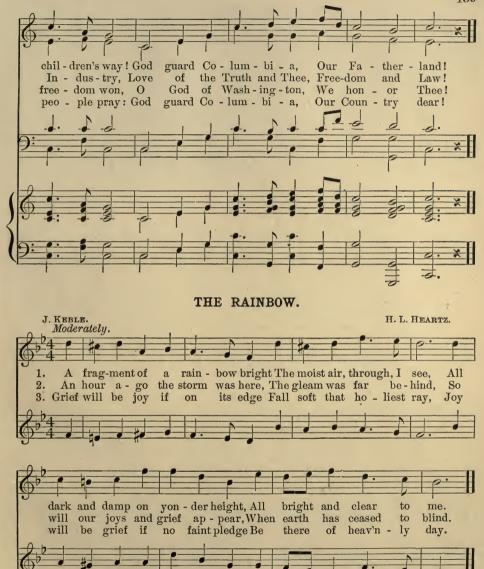
Study of Te from Sol.

Master the type forms Nos. 267 and 268. Study the intervals in the following melodies, and repeat until the tones are entirely familiar.



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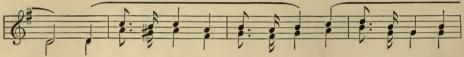




- 1. To day we meet thy praise to sing, Great Wash ing ton, our
- 2. For hap py homes, for lib er ty, Great Wash ing ton, our



Wash-ing - ton, In song we'll let our voi - ces ring, O no - ble Washing-Wash-ing - ton, The proud flag we a - bove us see, O no - ble Washing-



ton. Now peace does reign from sea to sea, We would thy grate-ful ton. For all these things we hon - or thee, For 'twas thy guid-ance

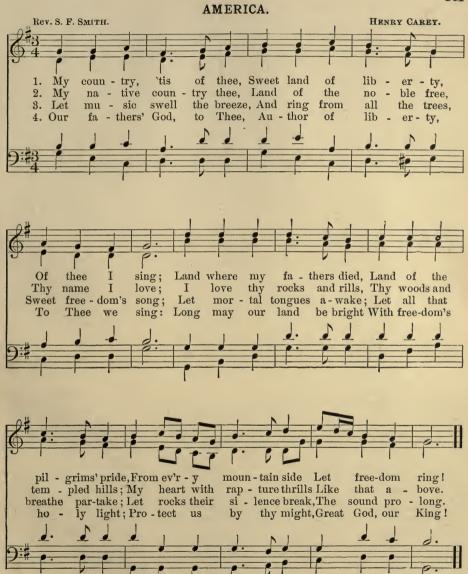


chil-dren be, Un - self - ish, loy - al, brave like thee, O no - ble Washing - ton. made us free, Thy courage made all foe - men flee, Our no - ble Washing - ton.

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